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To: <u>Bishop, Jonathan@Waterboards</u>

Cc: Smith, DavidW; Rasmussen, Rik@Waterboards; Crader, Phillip@Waterboards

Subject: Re: Protection of Acute objectives using chronic WQBELs

**Date:** Tuesday, May 26, 2015 7:04:00 PM

## Dave.

We've gone over our notes multiple times and compared them amongst the SWRCB folks. We were going to provide a justification for why the proposed chronic limit was protective of short-term risks. That is the technical and policy justification that Rik provided.

We have nothing in our notes about legal authorities. Can you shed some light?

We did have a reference in our notes to USEPA providing us examples from other states of numeric limits, and specifically what our board members were looking for was numeric limits relying on the TST. I do not believe I've seen anything like that. If there is such a document it would be helpful.

## Thanks,

-maml

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On May 26, 2015, at 6:18 PM, Bishop, Jonathan@Waterboards <<u>Jonathan.Bishop@waterboards.ca.gov</u>> wrote:

I do not believe you will be getting anything from OCC

Sent from my iPhone

On May 26, 2015, at 1:52 PM, Smith, DavidW < Smith.DavidW@epa.gov > wrote:

Thanks Rik- Will look forward to reading it. Do you know if we should be expecting anything from OCC following up our call to address the

conversation concerning interpretations of permitting requirements? If so, when? We'd like to look at these things together, and my notes indicated OCC would be preparing something for us. Thanks!

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Sent: Tuesday, May 26, 2015 11:42 AM

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Dave-

Please see the attached memo and attachment on why limits developed from the Chronic toxicity objective would – in most cases- also be protective of the acute objective.

Rik

